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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

NAKAMURA et al.

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For:

A SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICE

AND THE METHOD THEREOF

Group:

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Examiner:

Douglas W. Owens

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

August 15, 2002

ONELLI, TERRY, STOUT & KRAUS, LLP

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, the applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the second month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in Be Office Action of March 15, 2002. A credit card payment in the amount of \$400.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

Please charge any shortage in fees to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (501.39149X00).

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Respectfully submitted,

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